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GANDHI SUSPENDS CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE FOR ONE MONTH

IRELAND WIN DAVIS CUP DOUBLES

Belgian Pair Surprise Austrians.

HOLLAND WIN 3-2

London, To-day.
Ireland and Austria are on their way to winning entry into the Second Round of the Davis Cup in the two unfinished First Round encounters.

Ireland are leading Denmark by 2-1, and Austria are in the same situation against Belgium. In the other tie Poland won the remaining singles match, but lost to Holland by 3 matches to 2.

Ireland Take Lead.

Copenhagen, To-day.

Ireland took the lead against Denmark yesterday when their doubles pair triumphed.

Landing by 2 matches to 1 Ireland are expected to win one of the remaining two singles games to qualify to meet Japan in the Second Round of the European Zone.

Lyttleton Rogers is in magnificent form at the moment and Irish supporters are confident that he will beat Jacobsen to win the match on his own bat.

Scores were as follow:

Lyttleton Rogers and McGuire (Ireland) beat Ulrich and Henricksen 4-6, 6-1, 6-6, 6-4.

EARLIER RESULTS.

Jacobsen (Denmark) beat McVengh 3-6, 2-6, 6-4, 8-6, 6-3. Lyttleton Rogers (Ireland) beat Ulrich 8-6, 6-2, 6-2.

Austria Lead 2-1.

Brussels, To-day.

Contrary to expectations Belgium won the doubles match yesterday to reduce Austria's lead to 2-1.

Austria, however, are favoured to reach the Second Round where they will be pitted against Italy.

Scores were as follow:

Lacroix and Deborman (Belgium) beat H. Kinzel and Comte Barawowski 6-4, 6-3, 6-1.

EARLIER RESULTS.

Matejka (Austria) beat Lacroix 6-3, 6-4, 6-2. Artem (Austria) beat Deborman (Belgium) 4-6, 6-2, 6-4, 7-5.

Polish Singles Win.

The Hague, To-day.
Having already won their tie against Poland, Holland yesterday lost the remaining singles match to win by a 3 to 2 margin.

Holland will meet Germany in the Second Round.

Scores were as follow:

Hebda (Poland) beat Hughan 6-3, 6-1, 6-3.

EARLIER RESULTS.

Timmer (Holland) beat Tloczynski 6-1, 3-6, 6-4, 3-6, 6-2.

Timmer and Diermerkool (Holland) beat Tloczynski and Hebda (Poland) 3-6, 6-1, 6-2, 6-3.

Timmer (Holland) beat Hebda 6-3, 6-2, 6-2.

Tloczynski (Poland) beat Hughan 6-1, 6-2, 6-4.

BURMA'S POLICY ON SEPARATION.

Council Postpones Vote.

London, To-day.
Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary for India, yesterday announced in the House of Commons that the sittings of the Burma Legislative Council had ended on Saturday last.

The Council rose without voting on the question of separation from the Federation on the discussion of which they had been engaged for several days.—Reuter.

SUCCESSFUL OPERATION ON SIR MILES LAMPSON

Satisfactory Progress Following Removal Of Tumour

Peking, To-day.
The British Minister, Sir Miles Lampson, entered the Peking Union Medical College this week-end and was to-day operated on for a tumour in the neck.

The operation was successful and this evening the patient was progressing satisfactorily.—Reuter.

OVER - FISHING IN THE NORTH SEA

Britain Proposes Restrictions.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF FISHING GROUNDS

London, To-day.
Major Elliot, Minister of Agriculture yesterday stated that the Government had decided to introduce legislation providing for the regulation of supplies of fish coming on the market of Great Britain, and to impose regulations in order to try to combat the growing evil of over-fishing in the North Sea and other areas near Great Britain as to which many complaints had been made.

It was proposed to regulate the size of mesh used by British vessels so as to facilitate the escape of under-sized fish and thereby contribute to the economic development of the fishing grounds. This would apply to both British and foreign supplies.

Arrangements were contemplated with a view to restricting the landing of fish from more distant fishing grounds, which were at all times, relatively of poor quality to a certain size, when dealing with the surplus, to normal requirements.

A reorganisation commission would be established to draft proposals for reorganisation to be laid before and considered by the industry. These proposals had been communicated to the countries chiefly interested, and he hoped to introduce the necessary legislation at an early date.—British Wireless Service.

CHINA'S ENVOY IN WASHINGTON.

Mr. Soong Lunches With U.S. President.

Washington, To-day.
Mr. T. V. Soong, Chinese Minister of Finance, who arrived here recently for conversations with President Roosevelt, preparatory to the World Economic Conference, lunched with the President, yesterday.

During the afternoon, they began economic discussions.—Reuter.

BULLET-WOUNDS PROVE FATAL.

Alleged Manchukuo Agent Succumbs.

Peking, To-day.
Chang Shi-ku, stated to be a Manchukuo agent, who was shot at in his room at the Wagon Lits Hotel here on Sunday, died from his wounds last night. His assailant was a young Chinese, who escaped in a waiting car.

Chang denied that anyone had shot him, declaring that he was struck by an electric current.—Reuter.

MAHATMA RELEASED FROM GAOL

FAST HAS NO POLITICAL SIGNIFICANCE

21 - DAY ORDEAL TO FURTHER "UNTOUCHABILITY" MOVEMENT

LONDON, TO-DAY.

MAHATMA GANDHI WAS UNCONDITIONALLY RELEASED FROM YERAVDA GAOL AT POONA, NEAR BOMBAY, AT 9 P.M. LOCAL TIME, LAST NIGHT. THE RELEASE FOLLOWED THE BEGINNING OF A 21 DAYS' FAST WHICH GANDHI HAS UNDERTAKEN IN THE CAUSE OF THE INDIAN DEPRESSED CLASSES.

The circumstances and purpose of the present fast are entirely different from those of the fast which Gandhi underwent last year. On that occasion it was sought to bring pressure upon the Government to alter its decision on policy. The present fast has no political significance and is entirely dissociated from civil disobedience, in which movement Gandhi has played a prominent part.

The Indian Government is convinced that there is no political motive behind the present action, and as he has declared his intention of imposing upon himself this ordeal in order, solely, to forward the removal of "Untouchability," and of devoting the rest of his life to that cause, it has been considered desirable to release him from prison and to attach no conditions or reservations to his freedom.

Gandhi has been in Yeravda Gaol for 16 months, but he could at any time have regained his liberty by renouncing the civil-disobedience movement.

The release does not involve any change of Government policy in regard to that movement, and the Government's hands are free to take any subsequent action that circumstances may warrant.

No general amnesty of civil-disobedience prisoners is contemplated.—British Wireless Service.

Reasons For Fast.

MAHATMA CABLES TO GOVERNMENT.

Poona, To-day.
Mahatma Gandhi was released at 5 p.m. (British Standard Time), yesterday. He was driven from gaol to Lady Vitthal Das Thackersey's Bungalow.

Shortly before 9 o'clock Major Doyle, Inspector-General of Prisons and Major Martin, Superintendent of Yeravda Gaol, entered the prison, and five minutes later Gandhi was led out, accompanied by Mrs. Sarojini Naidu.

It is revealed that Gandhi cabled to the Government of India on May 1, stating that he was fasting for reasons wholly unconnected with the Government and solely connected with the "Untouchability" movement.

The Government communiqué states: "In view of the nature and objects of the fast which Mahatma Gandhi is undertaking and the attitude of mind which it discloses, the Government has decided that he should be released."—Reuter.

UNEMPLOYMENT ON DECLINE.

Reduction Of 78,500 In Britain.

London, To-day.
A reduction of 78,500 in the number of persons unemployed, as compared with the March figures, is disclosed in the return for the past month.

The total of unemployed comprised 2,070,814 wholly unemployed, 527,618 temporarily stopped and 99,402 normally in casual employment.

The total on April 24 included 2,169,125 men, 68,358 boys, 405,700 women and 10,048 girls.—British Wireless Service.

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The Princess Royal at the Bramham Moor Point to Point Meeting at Swindon Wood on April 8.—The Princess Royal joins her family on the Judges' coach.—(L. to R.)—Lord harewood, Lord Lascelles and the Hon. Gerald Lascelles.—(S. & G.)

SOVIET EMBARGO REPERCUSSIONS

Cardiff Importers Lose Contracts.

GOVERNMENT ASKED TO LIFT BOYCOTT

London, To-day.

The Cardiff City Council has decided to ask the Government to raise the embargo on Russian goods. It is stated that if the embargo is continued two months longer, the port will be paralysed.

Five thousand men are affected and many are already idle owing to the cancellation of contracts by local importers.

The British embargo on Russian imports, imposed as a result of the Moscow trial of the six British engineers of Metropolitan Vickers, came into operation at 5 p.m. on April 25. It affects 80 per cent. of Soviet products.—Reuter.

SALE OF C.E.R.

Impossible Without Chinese Approval.

NANKING PROTEST

Nanking, To-day.

The official "Central Daily News" states that the Foreign Office has cabled to Mr. W. W. Yen, Chinese Ambassador to Moscow, instructing him to make representations to Moscow that the sale of the Chinese Eastern Railway is impossible without Chinese approval.

It is understood that Mr. Lo Wan-kan, the Foreign Minister, is also verbally drawing the attention of the Soviet Ambassador, M. Bogomolov, to the matter.—Reuter.

PEKING - MUKDEN RAILWAY.

Service Restricted.

Peking, To-day.
The Peking-Mukden Railway train service has again been restricted, trains now running only as far as Lanchow.—Reuter and British Wireless Service.

SOUTH ATLANTIC FLIGHT.

Polish Airman's Fast Crossing.

Rio de Janeiro, To-day.
The Polish airman, M. Starzynski, successfully crossed the South Atlantic yesterday, completing the hop in 17½ hours.

Leaving St. Louis, Senegal, on Sunday night, the airman passed over Port Natal at 4:40 p.m. yesterday afternoon, heading for Rio de Janeiro.—Reuter.

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CRISIS LOOMS AT GENEVA ON DISARMAMENT

Status Of Reichswehr Causes Problem.

GERMANY MAY WITHDRAW FROM CONFERENCE

British Delegate's Firmness

Geneva, To-day.

The question of whether the armies of Europe should be standardised, or whether the Reichswehr should continue, yesterday led to a serious deadlock over the procedure of the Disarmament Conference.

Delegations have asked their Governments' instructions, on which will depend whether there will be a crisis or a compromise.

The British delegate, Captain Anthony Eden, who is supported by practically every speaker, except the Italian delegate, urged that an immediate vote be declared, and, if standardisation is not accepted, he states that it will be useless to continue discussion.

Captain Eden's firmness disconcerted the Germans.

After the Conference yesterday afternoon the Chairman, Mr. Arthur Henderson, Captain Eden, Mr. Wilson, the American and Signor Soragni of Italy, met, and Mr. Henderson suggested a compromise whereby the general lines of the British plan can be discussed without entering into the amendments.

This is intended to satisfy the German desire to discuss the whole plan before voting.

The Germans argue that they cannot be expected to make concessions regarding the Reichswehr unless they know what the Powers are prepared to do as regards disarmament and German equality.

It is realised that a vote in the general commission which will place the Germans in a minority, might cause their withdrawal from the Conference.

PERSUASION AT WASHINGTON

Mr. Roosevelt Confers With German Delegate.

Washington, To-day.
President Roosevelt, the United States Secretary of State Mr. William Cordell Hull and Herr Schacht, President of the Reichsbank, conferred at the White House, yesterday.

President Roosevelt is reported to be trying to persuade Germany to yield on the arms demands at Geneva.—Reuter.

Premier's Return To Geneva.

PRESS REPORTS DENIED

London, To-day.
The Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, yesterday afternoon, had an audience with the King.

This is the first time the Prime Minister has seen His Majesty since his return from Washington.—British Wireless Service.

Press statements to the effect that the Prime Minister had been discussed by the German Foreign Minister



The WOMAN'S Page



NEW SEASON HAT PROBLEM.

Modes And How To Wear Them.

VITAL FACTOR IN DRESS.

By The Hon. Mrs. C. W. FORESTER

To Regain Health
Oxygenize the Blood.
When you are run down it is because your bloodstream has become depleted. The blood is the source of all health and energy. When the blood is scanty and poor every part of the system suffers, the nerves are weakened, the muscles have no strength, the brain is easily tired, the digestive organs are deranged.

In order to rehabilitate your blood you need oxygen. Oxygen is the great life-giver. Without it a human being cannot survive many minutes. When the blood becomes poor it is also deficient in haemoglobin cells which are the component which absorbs oxygen from the air you breathe as the blood passes through the lungs. If you can increase the haemoglobin in your blood you can immediately start absorbing more oxygen.

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Granted that there are plenty of shapes difficult to wear, the variety is so great that a correct choice can still be made, given due care and time. Our best designers complain of the hasty way the average Englishwoman dashes up from the country for a day or two to interview cooks—and choose a hat "if she has time." To do either such important things requires far more thought.

A new hat heralds the trend of the season's fashion; on its success will depend the entire wardrobe, for the hat is by far the most important item.

First of all a woman must be sure of her coiffure and the shape of head and face. The searcher



curling locks. Yet the dip forward is good if a certain amount of width appears in the composition of the bow behind, perched on a tilted bandeau mixed with attractive flowers, but when used obviously to hide the coiffure this becomes dowdy trimming.

Watch The Profile.

The average English girl does possess width across the eyes. Many women have fairly large heads, and yet choose the abruptly turned-up-narrow brims which may look all right in the front, but the profile will be found out of proportion. If not in a hurry, a woman choosing a hat can look and linger over each side and her own face beneath it.

Bands now assume as much importance as front views. The newest bandeau across the back is blessing for the small shapes and narrow berets and sailors. In such case the head at least fits, so that brims or size can be regulated. The bandeau fitting at the back, gripping the head, is newer and more satisfactory than the bows that just fill the gap between hat and hair. There is smartness in the

when we rave over and seize upon the quaint pork-pies and turbans of the "fifties," we must remember they were poised on heaped-up locks that did balance in a measure too large features! Elimination of hair and trimming has diminished the size of our heads, therefore in choosing the shape so much reduced in proportion it is necessary for the modern girl to also re-which we must all pay regard in choosing our millinery is the actual fabric. Straw can be crocheted like a lace-pattern or woven to look exactly like crepe. The new caps, turbans, or sailors, if of hard, unyielding substance, would be most unbecoming, whereas, properly poised at an angle to suit individual style, all women can wear these shapes, for they can be pulled to a pleasing line.

DESIGNS IN FLOOR COVERINGS

GOOD RUBBER CARPETS

What is the ideal in floor-coverings? First, perhaps, warmth and a feeling of comfort. Next, design, with the limitation, generally applied, that it had better not show the dirt. Unfortunately, floor-coverings have fallen into habits, largely because of these ideas, for which mostly there is no reason whatever.

Warmth, for instance, and feel have somehow been transformed into something that merely suggests luxury or status. Not-to-show-the-dirt has induced patterns simply for patterns' sake. It has produced colours which are appalling and which have become such a habit that it is nearly not respectable in a good many phases of society to be without them.

Why for instance, is a sort of pinkish-purple or hot, yellowish beige an axiom in the majority of carpets? Piles of them, myriads of them, have this horrible bad dye, which if it appeared in stockings or sweaters would wash pink immediately. Upon this background is superimposed a pattern for pattern's sake. They attempts at modernism which choose rectangles instead of squiggles are almost worse, as attempting more.

Yet Persian carpets with their fine dyes and their patterns, give none of this half-dyed impression. Nor do many Indian carpets, if one looking for something cheap; while plain carpets mostly consist in leaving out instead of putting in.

In furnishing the modern English home almost the first thing to deal with is the carpet, and to clear out of the way these monstrosities of taste which have become a habit.

Next, there are all the other fabrics—the rubber carpets which may be had in good plain colours, the cork floorings, the linoleums in beautiful plain colours. All these are there to break the habit of the carpet and to induce a restful instead of a nightmare note into the home.

INVERNESS CAPE AND MATADOR'S SCARF

Spring models bring an avalanche of capes for day and evening, worn in many ways and in every length.

The racing or deck coat can have an extra military cape, cut to knee-length. Other capes in heavy wool check are shorter, and of reversible fabric, very much like the Inverness worn by sportsmen some years ago.

The most becoming way with the cape, especially when of fur or velvet, is to drape it softly round the figure and sling one end over the shoulder to form the matador's scarf. This often has a cap to match.

SLIT SKIRTS

Skirts of day suits are slit at intervals from knee to hem, so that at first sight the slits appear to be box pleats.

A new quilted silk fabric with a waffle-iron surface is being used for town frocks and two-piece.

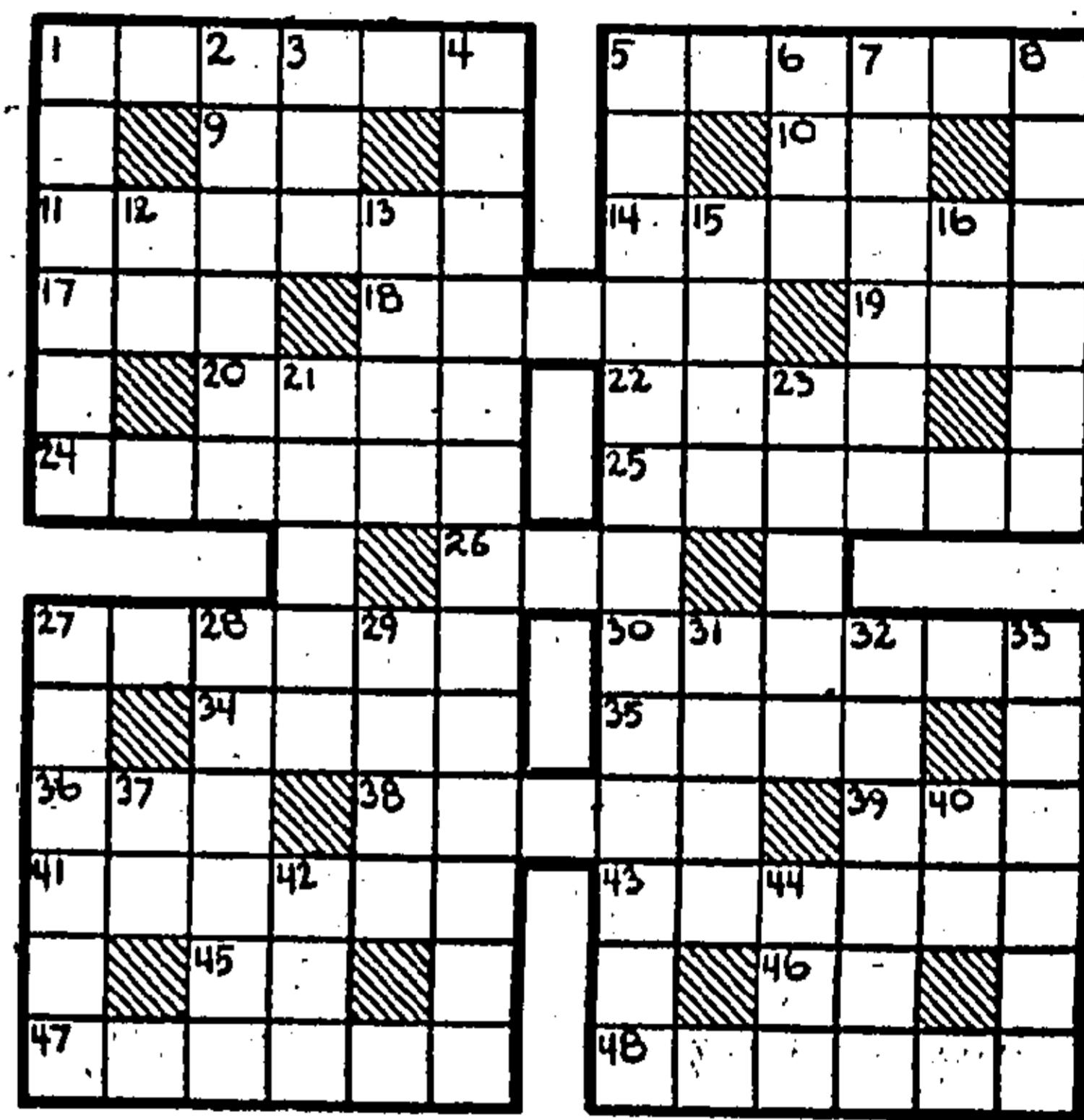
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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL

- 1-Crowned
- 6-Reply sharply
- 9-Three-toed sloth
- 10-Army Corps (abbr.)
- 11-European song-bird
- 14-Drunkards
- 17-Capital of Great Britain (abbr.)
- 18-Erects
- 19-An Island in inland waters
- 20-Turkish official
- 22-Dash
- 24-Reclaim
- 25-Blared
- 26-Incorporated (abbr.)
- 30-Hawser (Obs.)
- 34-A log dwelling with a thatched roof (Rus.)
- 37-join

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

- 38-Name (Fr.)
- 39-Fur-bearing animal
- 40-Part of the body
- 41-A mask
- 43-Beautiful maidens (Myth.)
- 45-Comparative suffix
- 46-Boy's name (abbr.)
- 47-Venturers
- 48-A dress fabric

VERTICAL (Cont.)

- 8-Examined
- 12-Iowa (abbr.)
- 13-Large lake
- 15-New name of Christiania
- 16-Smallest State in U. S. (abbr.)
- 21-Fleshy part of an animal (pl.)
- 23-Passageway
- 27-Torn
- 28-Timber (Prov. Eng.)
- 29-Black
- 31-Ally
- 32-The raw material of manufacture
- 33-An American chemist
- 37-Wool (Soot)
- 40-Right hand (abbr.)
- 42-Anger
- 44-Small rug

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION.

THEATER	INSERTS
RUN	ONCESTEP EAT
ATENDS	SERRATE
ME	SE
SE	BY D P
PART	DATES REAP
DA	EVERY SEN TERR
OD	OAD ECUADOR SIR
R	R LDN LEED E
LDG	AIR LODGERS GTS
ODD	SCOTS ENS SPITE
ROT	SETA CRUST AGAR
UNDA	E A AA OR N P
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NESTED	ROTUND GAIN
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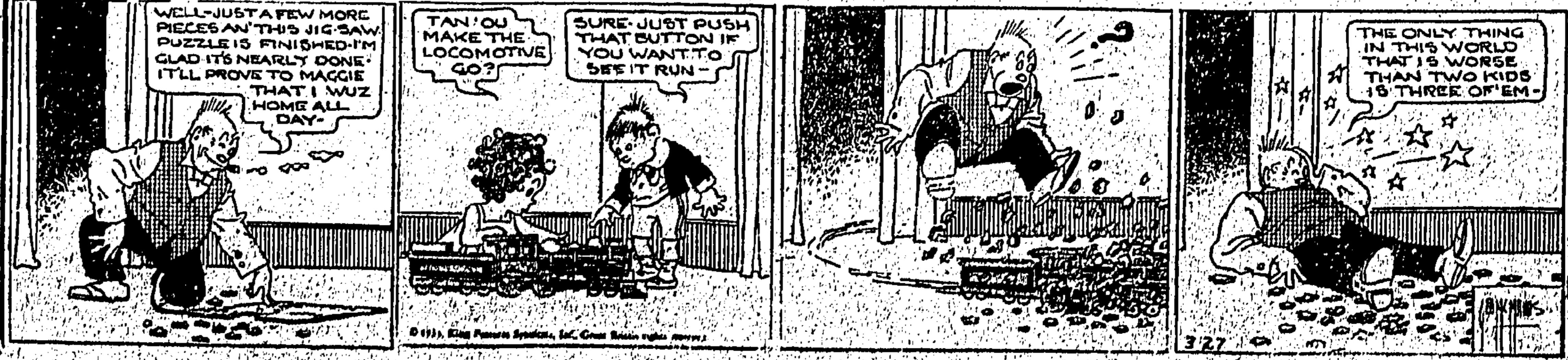
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BRIDGE NOTES**THE GRAND COUP.**

The Grand Coup, so named by Deschappelles, comes to us from the days of Whist. It consists in getting rid of one or more superfluous trumps by ruffing partner's winning card or cards so as to avoid having the lead and being forced to lose a trick in Trumps.

Opportunities for playing the coup are rare. Cavendish wrote:— According to my experience the opportunity for playing the Grand Coup occurs about once in a thousand rubbers, to an individual player about once in four thousand rubbers. I can remember to this date (January, 1879) to have played it eight times.

At Bridge the chances for playing the coup with Dummy exposed should be more numerous, but an American writer who claims to be "the world's champion problem solver" states that in six years of play he has made only one Grand Coup. He considers it so rare that any player who achieves it is entitled to pat himself on the back and join the Grand Coup Club, "whose membership is more elite and exclusive even than the Hole-in-One Club at Golf."

To many players it may appear impossible to have a superabundance of trumps. Most of us complain that we never have enough! But occasions arise where a Declarer has a trump too many, or, perhaps, two or even three trumps too many, and instead of being an advantage it is a drawback, because he has to lead up to, instead of through, a high trump. He is obliged to trump his Dummy's trick and to lead from his tenace, instead of being led to, and a trick is lost.

The Grand Coup is to foresee this position and to take an opportunity of getting rid of the inconvenient trump. This may be done either by under-trumping or by ruffing your Dummy's trick when you hold a card with which you know you can later give him the lead if you want to do so.

This may sound rather complicated and involved, but examples will elucidate the position. Here is a simple case:—

Y
Spades None
Hearts J
Diamonds Q, J
Clubs 10
A
Spades None
Hearts 10
Diamonds 7
Clubs J, 9
B
Spades K, J
Hearts 5
Diamonds 9
Clubs None
Z
Spades A, Q, 5
Hearts None
Diamonds 5
Clubs None

Spades are trumps, and Z requires all four tricks to fulfil his contract. He knows that B has the K, J of Spades and that he is void in Clubs. The lead is with Y, and all depends upon the play. If Y leads the winning Heart and Z discards his Diamond, he will be obliged to trump the next trick and then lead up to B, who will make a trick in Spades.

Similarly, if Y leads Queen of Diamonds and follows with the Knave, B will discard his Heart and Z will be compelled to trump. Also, if Y leads a Club and Z discards a Diamond, B will make a trick. But by the use of the Grand Coup Z can win all four tricks. He leads the Knave of

hearts, and then leads the 5 of Diamonds.

He now leads the Jack of Hearts from Dummy, and however B plays he makes the rest. If B discards his Diamond, Z gets rid of him Jack of Clubs and leads a Club from Dummy. If B ruffs the Heart, Z overruffs, draws the last Spade, and then makes his winning Club. But he can achieve this position only by getting rid of the 6 of Spades when A leads a Diamond.

This may seem, and indeed is, of the nature of a double Dummy problem, and few players, it might be thought, would bring off such a coup at the card table. But granted the knowledge that B has two Spades and that A has the King of Hearts, even although the position of all the other cards is uncertain, a good player will foresee the possibility of strategic play, realising the necessity of getting rid of the superfluous trump. Generally the Grand Coup is brought into operation at trick 11, so that when the lead is made at trick 12 B is obliged to trump, involving the loss of both of his trumps. It is, therefore, an indispensable condition that Declarer

RADIO**TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.**

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 K.C.s):—

12.30 p.m.—European programme of Victor & H.M.V. records.

1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press News, Selected London & New York Stock Quotations, etc.

1.2 p.m.—Orchestral Concert by the Band of the "President Lincoln" 4.30-7 p.m.—Chinese recorded programme.

7-10.30 p.m.—European programme, 7-7.20 p.m.—Victor Herbert Melodies by Victor Salon Group directed by Nathaniel Shilkret.

Pan Americana—
I've Been Decorated — Twilight Beraketh — Ross of the World (from "The Rose of Algeria")

Yesterthoughts — Punchinello — Jig Erin's Isle — Eileen Alanna

Asthore — The Irish Have a Great Day Tonight (from "Eileen")

You're the Only Girl for Me — When You're Away (from "The Only Girl"). L-4506.

7.20 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations, Selected London & New York Stock Quotations, etc.

7.30-8 p.m.—Viennese Melodies by Marak Weber & His Orchestra L-24004.

The Band Wagon — With Fred & Adele Astaire, Leo Reisman & His Orchestra and the Composers L-24003.

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

8.3-9.30 p.m.—A relay of the Band of the 1st Battalion, South Wales Borderers, conducted by Bandmaster J. L. Geeks, from Mount Austin Barracks, by courtesy of the Office Commanding.

9.30-10 p.m.—Concert From the Studio.

1. Songs—
(a) The Wind in the Chimney (Sanderson)

(b) The Lass with the Delicate Air (Arns)

(c) To a Wild Rose (MacDowell)

Mrs. L. St. A. Sharpham (Soprano) accompanied by Miss E. Flint.

2. Songs—
(a) Give me the Open Road (Ambrose)

(b) Smilin' Through (Penn)

Mr. R. I. Fedley (Baritone) accompanied by Mrs. L. St. A. Sharpham.

3. Songs—
(a) I've Had To-day.

(b) Comin' Thro' the Rye.

Mrs. L. St. A. Sharpham (Soprano) accompanied by Miss E. Flint.

4. Songs—
(a) Until (Sanderson)

(b) The Ginchy Road (Edward)

Mr. R. I. Fedley (Baritone) accompanied by Mrs. L. St. A. Sharpham.

The 3rd of a series of four talks on Astronomy by The Rev. Father D. MacDonald, S. J. (The last talk will be broadcast on Tuesday 16th May, at 10 p.m.).

10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.35 p.m.—Close Down.

All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moultrie & Co.

HE LEFT HER £ ,000

London.

The will of a man who lived in London states that he leaves to his "most estimable housekeeper Martha Bryant £ ,000." There is a blank in the space where the thousand figure would appear.

This will is that of Mr. William Elmslie, of Anerley, S. E., who died at the age of 80. He left £15,660.—Reuter.

ROUND HONG KONG'S CINEMA THEATRES**MAIL REVIEW****"EVENINGS FOR SALE"—QUEEN'S THEATRE.**

"Arsene Lupin," based on the French stage success by Maurice Le Blanc and Francis de Croisset, now showing at the Star Theatre, tells of a detective's relentless pursuit of a notorious thief in Paris, the latter's capture after various thrilling adventures with the Police, and Lupin's ultimate sensational escape by way of the Seine River. Throughout a high toner of thrill is maintained.

John Barrymore is seen as the thief, while Lionel Barrymore, portrays the detective. Karen Morley, John Miljan and Tully Marshall also fill important roles.

MAIL REVIEW**"SUNNY SKIES"—MAJESTIC THEATRE.**

Exhibited in Hong Kong for the first time, "Sunny Skies," featuring Benny Rubin of musical revue fame and Marceline Day, famous star of the silent films, is now showing at the Majestic

VISCOUNT KNEBSWORTH ON CHINA

Talk By Late Heir Of Lord Lytton.

GREATER CARE IN TREATY SIGNING NECESSARY

London. Lord Lytton, chairman of the League's Manchurian Commission—and some Far Eastern questions as well—were seen through the eyes of his son, at a London dinner.

It was when Lord Lytton's heir, the late Viscount Knebworth—now Conservative M.P., and "one of the most brilliant of our younger men"—spoke to the Women's Advertising Club. Several days after he met his death in a tragic aeroplane crash.

Lord Knebworth's shrewd yet good-humoured eyes became suddenly serious and his clear-cut voice took on a deeper tone when he described his father.

"My father," he declared, "is not a pacifist but a peacemaker—and I think a very great peacemaker."

Conciliation, nations acting only through the League, greater care before treaties were signed—those were the things which Lord Knebworth considered necessary to the tranquillity of the world. And he defended his standpoint with swift and agile repartee when his speech was finished, and questions were asked.

"The tone of the Lytton report and the real tone at Geneva," he maintained, "is not a tone of condemnation, not a tone of disgust but a tone of peace, a desire to create peace; not to punish a wrongdoer but to right a wrong."

Reorganisation Necessary. One of the things he considered essential to permanent peace in the Far East was a "complete reorganisation" of China's finances and system of Government.

Then he went on to express a view which he freely admitted to be "heretical"—opposition to unilateral action (in disarmament for instance) by Great Britain in the hope of promoting peace. Lord Knebworth maintained that such action did more harm than good. It was a form of "taking the lead" of which he heartily disapproved.

"We took the lead and put an embargo on the export of arms to the Far East," he said. "That was more resented at Geneva than by the arms manufacturers of this country because it was carried out unilaterally and not through the League by International agreement. It was contrary to the whole principle that is likely to make the League of Nations a success."

Mrs. Kingdon-Ward, the beautiful wife of the famous botanic explorer now on his way to an unexplored region in Tibet, was in the chair at the dinner.—Reuter.

AUSTRALIAN "ALICE IN WONDERLAND"

Famous Cartoonist's Publication.

Sydney.

Alice of "Alice in Wonderland" has an Australian rival now. She is Betty of "Betty and the Bears" who strays like Alice into a quaint world of animal friends, and has very many fanciful adventures.

Hal Eyre, for many years cartoonist on the old "Daily Telegraph," is the local Lewis Carroll, and his illustrated story has been published by Methuen's Ltd., London.

Hal Eyre sets down his little girl in a merry bush company, which includes the son of the King of the Koalas, Kangaroos, possums, foxes and the "wild, ferocious dingoes."

Though he does not mention it, the book is partly derived from actual life in the little town of Hill End, beyond Bathurst. A small niece of the author's (daughter of Mr. O. F. Eye of the Royal Hotel, Hill End) may be regarded as the inspiration of this clever addition to Australian children's literature.—Reuter.

Aviation, Engineering & Building

BRITAIN'S FIRST SKYSCRAPER.

36 - Storey Hotel For Blackpool.

115 FEET HIGH.

London.

Blackpool is to have the distinction of accommodating the first skyscraper in Britain. It will be an hotel with 36 storeys, costing £225,000 and having accommodation for 2,000 people. It will be 115 feet high and weigh 40,000 tons.

A post office, bank, shipping offices and seven shops will be included in the building. There will be two large ballrooms and a theatre to seat 1,700, while the restaurants will hold 3,000 people.

Other features are to include a gymnasium and a sports room with mechanical physical culture apparatus. A wing of the building will be used for Roman and Turkish baths. Each bedroom will have a telephone and bathroom, and there will be a loudspeaker for radio in every room.

The front of the building will be of glass which will be illuminated by different coloured floodlights at night. A tower 80 feet high will surmount the building, and on top of this there will be a silver ball, thirty-seven feet in diameter, illuminated at night by a search-light.—Reuter.

SHANGHAI-PEKING RAIL TRAFFIC.

The Tientsin-Pukow Railway, it is announced, will inaugurate an additional passenger train on the line in May. Plans are now being made to speed up traffic so that the journey between Peking and Shanghai may be accomplished in 36 hours.

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(Medium)	" 6	—	
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Red	" 12	10	
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Curry Stuff, English	" 10	—	
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Garlic	" 10	7	
Ginger, Young	" 8	—	
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Horseradish, Shal.	" 60	20	
Indian Corn	" 6	15	
Lettuce	lb. 6	—	
Oktros	" 6	1	
Onions, Bombay	" 6	4	
Shanghai	" 6	4	
Parsley	" 20	30	
Potato, Sweet	" 5	—	
Japanese	" 2	—	
Pumpkin	" 6	4	
Radish	" 6	—	
Rhubarb (Fresh)	" 80	—	
Spinach	" 6	—	
Tomatoes	" 12	4	
Turnips, Punct.	" 6	—	
(Loose)	" 6	—	
Vegetable Marrow	" 5	4	
Water Cress	" 15	10	
Water Lily Root	" 5	—	

Airship As Base For 'Planes

Increase In Size Since War.

LANDING IN MID-AIR.

The successful development of the technique of operating aeroplanes from an airship as a flying base, first attempted in this country in 1925 and since made into a regular practice in the United States, was referred to by Squadron Leader R. S. Booth, who formerly commanded R. 100, in the course of a lecture on airship development abroad before the Royal Aeronautical Society.

The Akron. He said that the Akron, launched at the end of 1931, was the first airship with an internal aeroplane hangar. Five aeroplanes of a 25ft. 6in. span, and 19ft. in length could be accommodated. The gear for making contact with the airship consisted of an air screw guard and a controlled hook which could be tripped by the pilot. Pilots quickly got the knack of making successful landings, and he had seen over 100 such landings without incident of the course of a short flight in the airship. Half these landings were made by pilots under instruction, who had never hooked on before. If, after hooking, the machine was required to be taken inboard, the bottom hatches were opened and the trapeze-bar on which the machine had hung itself was hauled up by an electric winch. The aeroplane

was then transferred to a corner of the hangar on an overhead runner, and the trapeze-bar was lowered again for the next machine. The complete operation occupied about three minutes. So far about 500 landings, by day and by night, had been made on the Akron.

For the services of this airship a new system of ground handling had been evolved and had proved so successful that the handling of airships into the shed with a cross wind up to a maximum of 20 miles an hour was almost an accomplished fact. By this method it would be possible, even in this country, for an airship to enter or leave its shed on about 300 days in the year. Making a brief reference to projects for metal-clad airships of large size, he said that the small experimental ship of this type which had been flying for more than two years was examined last spring and revealed no deterioration of the hull. New German Airship.

The new German airship was to have a total capacity of 7,000,000 cubic feet, the dimensions originally fixed having been increased in order that the airship should be inflated with helium instead of hydrogen without loss of pay load. To avoid valving helium it was proposed to fit hydrogen gasbags inside the helium bags and to valve the hydrogen for all ordinary corrections.

This airship would have places for 50 passengers, whose accommodation would be inside the hull in much the same style as that of R. 100.

The completion of this ship would mean that passenger airships since the War had increased in size from 1,000,000 cubic feet to 7,000,

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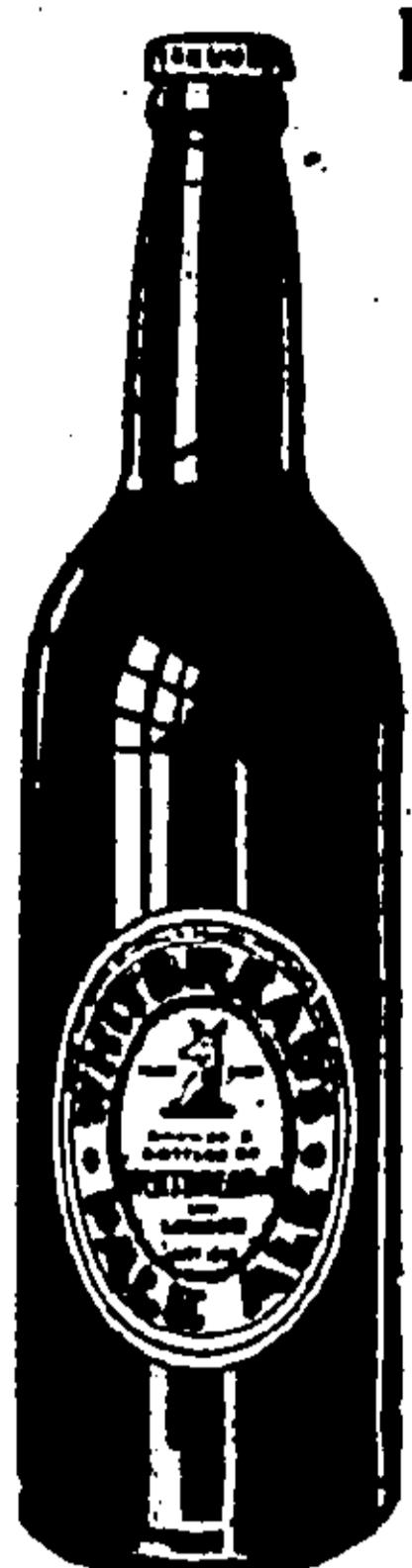
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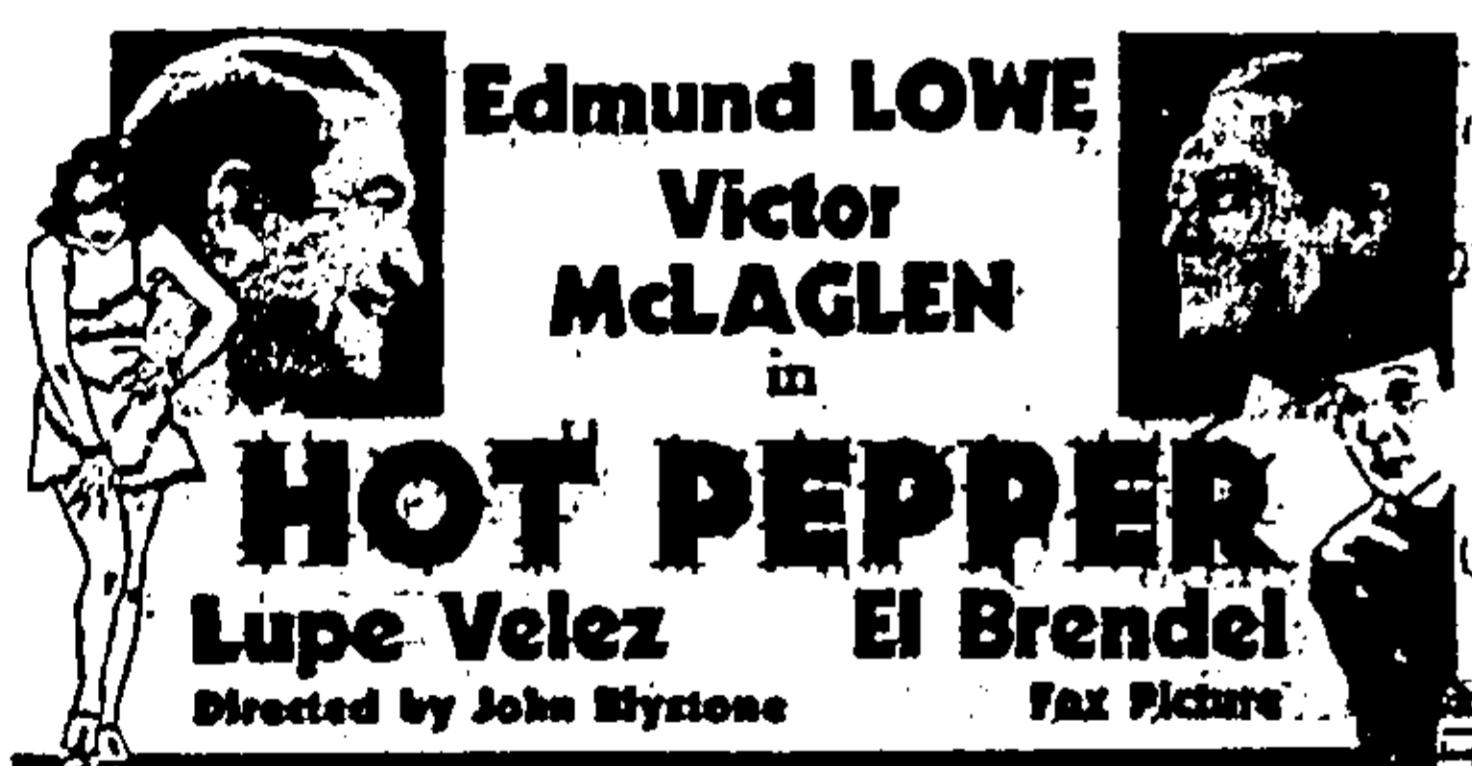
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Amundsen Diary Found.
A telegram from the Soviet
meteorological station at Cap
Chelyuskin, reports the discovery
of a snowed in hut and a duplicate
diary which belonged to the late
Capt. Amundsen.

The diary, together with dupli-
cate observations, were deposited
there by Amundsen in 1919 during
his Arctic expedition of 1918-21
from Norway to Nome, in Alaska,
via the north-eastern passage.

He was imprisoned with his
ship, the Maud, in the ice outside
Cap Chelyuskin from October
1918, till September 12, 1919. Be-
fore leaving he deposited the docu-
ments in case misfortune befell
his expedition. Amundsen, how-
ever, arrived safely at Nome in
August, 1920, after having been
imprisoned another winter in the
ice.

This discovery is in no way
associated with Amundsen's last
polar adventure, in 1928, when it
is presumed he lost his life. He
left Tromso in a French seaplane
piloted by Capt. Guilbaud in
search of part of the lost Italia
airship expedition commanded by
the Italian Gen. Nobile, and was
never heard of again.

Your Daily Smile.

The case had been dragging on
for days, and the discouraged coun-
sel had received rebuff after re-
buff at the hands of the judge.

At last, losing patience, he rap-
ped out, "My client is hardly like-
ly to obtain justice until the Judge
went Day!"

"If I have an opportunity," said
the judge, crushingly, "I will plead
for the poor woman myself on that
day."

"I am afraid that will not be
possible, m'lord," retorted the other.
"You will have troubles enough of
your own on that day!"

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Business First.
A train in the Wild West was
held up by bandits, who ordered
the passengers to hand over their
money.

One of the victims was a Jew,
and when his turn came he reluc-
tantly drew three hundred dollars
from his pocket and returned six
to his jacket.

"What do you mean by that?"
asked one of the bandits.

"Surely," answered the Jew,
"you don't mind me taking a two
per cent. discount on a cash trans-
action?"

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The young man walked into the
toy shop. He looked badly in need
of sleep.

"Something to amuse a baby,
please," he said. He pointed to a
large coloured rattle. "What's the
price of that thing?"

"Three shillings," replied the as-
istant. "It's an extra big one."

The drowsy young man fumbled
in his pocket for the money.

"I'll take it," he groaned. "Any-
thing to keep him quiet!"

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Two young women entered the
tram and found only standing
room. One of them whispered to
her companion: "I'm going to get
a seat from one of these men."

She looked down the row of
passengers and selected a sedate
looking man. She sailed up to
him and opened fire:

"My dear Mr. Green, how de-
lighted I am to meet you. You are
almost a stranger. Will I accept
your seat? Well, I do feel tired.
I admit. Thank you so much."

The man—a stranger, of course
—looked, listened, then quietly
rose and gave his seat.

"Sit down, Jane, my girl.
Don't often see you out on a wash-
ing day. You must feel tired, I'm
sure. How's your mistress?"

The young woman got her seat
but lost her vivacity.

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**Facts You Did Not
Know.**

Denmark has prohibited the erec-
tion of advertising signs within 25
metres of streets, roads or squares
or within 200 metres of traffic signs.

A spring grip instead of a barb
holds a fish caught on a hook in-
vented by a Pennsylvanian to per-
mit small fish to be liberated without
injury.

The wireless telegraph station at
the Colombian port of Cartagena
has been reopened by the govern-
ment after having been closed
several years.

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PROBLEM OF BRITISH
TROOPS IN CHINABIG EXPENDITURE VOTED
FOR LOCAL BARRACKS

NUMBERS AND COSTS

incoming year are to be:

Pay	\$49,500
Medical	49,400
Education	3,700
Quartering & Move- ments	163,800
Supplies & Transport	153,900
Clothing	43,500
Stores	64,300
Works, buildings & land	87,500
General	87,600
	\$1,158,200

The numbers of the Hong Kong-
Singapore Brigade, R.A., for H.Q.,
one mountain battery of 6 guns and
3 heavy batteries at Hong Kong is
34 British ranks and 525 Indian
ranks.

Arms Embargo.

The short lived embargo on arms
to the Far East failed because no
other nation would support the
United Kingdom. The conversa-
tions tended to a concrete opinion
that the embargo would not affect
Japan who has all she needs and
would operate only on the Chinese
defence.

This is borne out by the Febru-
ary exports which included 65,000,
000 rounds and various equipment
for China and nil for Japan. Also
that an embargo would not stop
Russia supplying. Also that no
single nation should take such a
step apart from a Geneva decision.

The delegates at Geneva express-
ed surprise that we had acted alone
instead of the international union;
the radical parliamentary group at
Westminster were displeased that
the embargo was not made against
"the aggressor" only; our munitions
firms said we are encouraging
the Russian arsenals to work
overtime to supply China through
Mongolia; France declared the
double embargo as operating in
favour of one side while a single
embargo would be unjust.

Far East Armies.

The Prime Minister's new plan
for disarmament is a last effort to
save the conference from failure.
He allot's the European great
powers 200,000 men each on a
military basis and the smaller
nations are allotted on a 50,000—
100,000 basis.

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News In Brief.

H.M.S. Cornwall is due to arrive
in Hong Kong from Tsingtao, on
May 15.

Mr. Plomundo Anacleto dos
Remedios of No. 77 Nathan Road,
was yesterday afternoon found
lying dead in his room, death being
due to natural causes. His body
was later taken to the Kowloon
Mortuary.

Probate in the goods of Ng Sum
Yee, merchant, late of 11, Wing Wo
Street, who died on December 1,
1932, has been granted to Ng Wai
Shum, merchant, the younger
brother of the deceased. The estate
has been valued at \$55,900.

Personal Pairs.

The forthcoming marriage of Wu
Tin Chor, clerk, of 3, Lee Lok
Yuen Street, Canton, and Lee May
Siew, teacher, of 586, Queen's Road,
West, Hong Kong, has been an-
nounced.

The forthcoming marriage has
been announced of Frederick
Arthur Robertson, Asst. Junk In-
spector, of 127, Gloucester Road,
Hong Kong and Erminia Xavier, of
the same address.

A marriage has been arranged
and will shortly take place between,
Michael Lim Ngat Siew, doctor, of
7, Knutsford Terrace, Kowloon, and
Marie Eugenie de Lourdes Ribeiro,
of 6, Knutsford Terrace, Kowloon.

**WHERE YOUNG CHINESE
CAN LIVE**

Berlin.
A Catholic hostel for Chinese
students has been opened at Frei-
burg, Baden.
Twelve Chinese students at
Freiburg University have been
enrolled during the past month.
Reuter.

CAMERA THIEF GAOLED**Office Boy Of Eastman Kodak Company.****ARRESTED WHEN ENTERING PAWN SHOP.**

Wong Shu, former office boy of the Eastman Kodak Company (Branch Office), together with Kong Shui, shop fokl, this morning appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Magistracy to answer charges of larceny and, alternatively, receiving an Eastman Cine Kodak, valued at \$435, which was found missing on April 10.

Detective Sergeant Fowlie appeared for the prosecution. Mr. C. D'Almada appeared on behalf of the second accused.

Wong Shu denied larceny of the camera but admitted receiving it from Kong Shui.

Mr. D'Almada pleaded not guilty to both charges.

Detective Sergeant Fowlie asked His Worship's permission to withdraw the case against the second defendant on account of lack of evidence. His Worship accordingly discharged Kong Shui.

Det.-Sergt. Fowlie said that on April 10, when the manager of the Eastman Kodak Company checked over his stock, he found that a cine kodak or camera had been stolen. He immediately gave a description of it to the Police with a description of his office boy who had failed to turn up after that date.

On Sunday afternoon the first defendant was seen in Wing Lok Street by a Chinese detective constable, carrying a rattan basket in which something was concealed.

The defendant was seen to enter a pawn shop but was arrested before he could dispose of the camera.

He was taken to the Central Police Station, where the manager of the complainant company later identified the missing camera.

Wong Shu said he bought the camera in Canton; but on being reminded by His Worship that he had said he received it from the second accused, defendant said he was told to make the statement by the discharged defendant.

The defendant, who had two previous convictions for harbouring a young girl and for larceny, was sentenced to three months' hard labour.

H.K. RIDING SCHOOL SUED.**Contractor Claims \$770.****WORK ALLEGED TO BE UNSATISFACTORY**

The case in which Chan Shun, of 57, Argyle Street, Mongkoktsui, Kowloon, claimed the sum of \$770.35, being balance due from N. A. Rodjestvin, proprietor of the Hong Kong Riding School, for work done and material supplied, was heard by the Puisne Judge, Mr. R. E. Lindsell, in the Supreme Court, this morning.

Defendant admitted liability to the extent of \$118.86, which sum has been paid into court.

Plaintiff was represented by Mr. M. A. Silva, of Messrs. D'Almada Remedios & Silva, and Mr. H. S. Mossop, of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes, and Master, appeared on behalf of the defendant.

Defendant's plea was that certain work performed by plaintiff had been unsatisfactorily done, and the completion of the work had been delayed. Under a contract, final payment was to be made on a certificate by the architect in charge of work at the riding school. The architect had in a certificate recommended the deduction of \$85 for work which had been delayed and in which faulty material had been used.

The case is proceeding.

GIRL RUN DOWN BY MOTOR CAR.

Tang Yuen, driver of public motor car No 524, stated in his report to the Traffic Department last night, that while driving along Nathan Road and when near Mongkok Road, two Chinese girls ran out into the road.

He blew his horn with the result that one girl, Toh Yuk-chin, aged nine, ran into his car in her efforts to escape while the other jumped back to the foot-way.

The injured girl was taken to the Kowloon Hospital.

WEATHER FORECAST

Moderate South or variable winds, and fine weather generally, were forecasted by the Royal Observatory this morning.

VICTORIA'S STAND AGAINST LEG THEORY**Convert To Board's Suggestion.****UMPIRES EMPOWERED**

Melbourne, To-day. The Australian Board of Control's suggestion that the umpire should be given power to combat the leg-theory has received a new convert.

The Victorian Cricket Association has adopted this proposal and empowered their umpires to prohibit "body-line" bowling. W. M. Woodfull, the popular Australian Test skipper, is captain of the Victorian State eleven.

The suggestion the Board of Control have sent to the M.C.C. is a new law in cricket as follows:— Any ball delivered, which, in the opinion of the umpire, at the bowler's end, has been bowled at the batsman with intent to intimidate or injure him, shall be considered unfair and a no-ball shall be called, and the bowler notified of the reason. If the offence is repeated by the same bowler in the same innings he will be instructed by the umpire to cease bowling, and the over shall be regarded as completed. In this case the bowler will not again be permitted to bowl during the innings.

HIGH OFFICE FOR GENERAL MUTO.**Promoted Marshal For Manchuria Service.****A DISTINGUISHED CAREER.**

Tokyo. General Nobuyoshi Muto, Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese forces in Manchuria, and supreme head of all Japanese civil and military administration in Manchuria, has been promoted to Marshal.

Except for Prince Kanin and Prince Nishimura, the only other

Marshal in the Japanese army is Marshal Uehara.

Born in 1870, General Muto's whole life has been spent in the army, and in it he has had a distinguished career. Commissioned 2nd lieutenant in 1893, he served as a platoon commander in the war with China which broke out the following year. Three years later he won a sword of honour from the Emperor for meritorious work at the staff college.

Following the outbreak of the war with Russia in 1904, he was decorated for conspicuous bravery and gallantry in action in the battle of the Yalu.

Promoted Lieutenant-colonel in 1907, he was made full colonel four years later, and in 1916 with the rank of major-general, he was given command of the 23rd Infantry Brigade.

Important appointments now followed fast until in August 1927 when he became a full general and was made director general of military education, and thus one of the "Big Three" of the Japanese army.

Resigns Post

In this year he remained until May, 1932, when a group of fanatic young military cadets assassinated the Premier, Mr. Tawayoshi Inukai. Although he himself strongly condemned their action, General Muto felt that as director of military education, Japanese honour and tradition required him to assume full responsibility for what had occurred, since the offenders belonged to an institution under his supervision. He resigned accordingly.

FASCISTS MUST NOT SHAKE HANDS

Salute As Only Form Of Greeting.

Rome. The handshake is forbidden to the Fascist Party by an order just issued by Signor Starace, the Secretary-General of the Party.

Fascists in future are to greet each other only by the Fascist salute, which consists in raising and stretching out the right arm with the palm outwards.

Signor Starace denounces the handshake as unhygienic. Reuter.

MOTOR SALESMAN SENTENCED**Kwok Hung-ki Gaoled For One Month.****JOY-RIDING CONVICTION**

Convicted on a charge of fraudulently converting a motor car to his own use, Kwok Hung-ki, former motor car salesman of Messrs. Goekke and Company, was this morning sentenced to one month's hard labour by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Magistracy.

Yesterday afternoon the defendant stood before Mr. W. Schield in the Coroner's Court, when the jury returned a verdict of "death by misadventure" at the inquest on Young Wai-lee, a Chinese female school-teacher, who was killed on March 11, when a motor car driven by Kwok Hung-ki plunged over the hillside at Victoria Road.

Mr. J. B. Prentis appeared for the prosecution, while Kwok Hung-ki was represented by Mr. Hinshing Lo.

Mr. T. P. K. Kemble appeared for

the owner of the motor car, Mr. Ng Cheung Wo, a rent collector.

Before His Worship passed sentence on the accused, Mr. Hinshing Lo was given permission to address the Court.

Counsel asked His Worship to take into consideration before passing sentence, the fact that the accused was first arrested and held in Police custody on March 11. He was convicted on April 20 but sentence was deferred owing to the circumstances surrounding the death of Young Wai-lee, in which the accused was connected, being the driver of the car in which she met her death.

Neither of us ever had, and this seemed rather to disappoint the seafaring man.

"Well, it's as likely as not you wouldn't," he admitted, "for Captain Birch used to trade in the Pacific, where he was very well known and disliked. A big man, he was,

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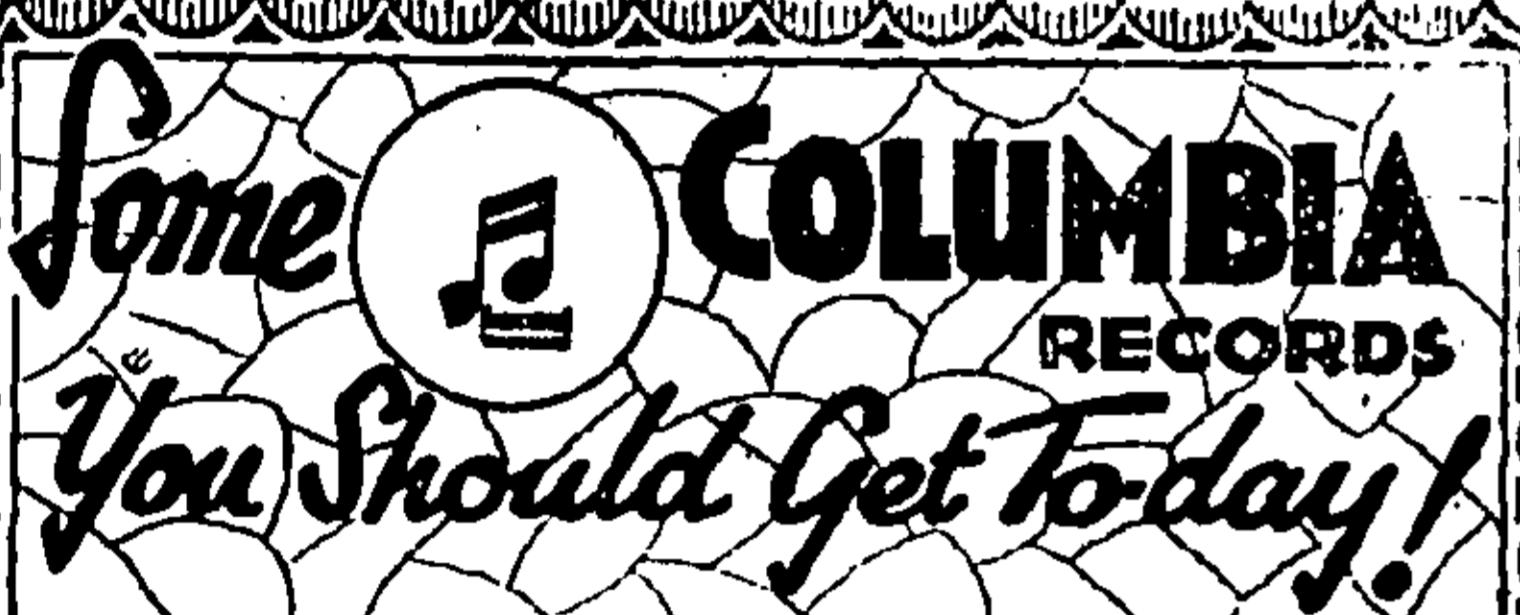
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300 Miles An Hour Just The Beginning

Sir Malcolm Campbell's Faith In Bluebird

HIS FAULTY VISION

New York, May 1. IT seems to Sir Malcolm Campbell that the experimental stage of automobile racing for speed alone has been pretty well passed, and from now on the populace may expect records that are genuinely fast. The strangest part of all this is that the little 48-year-old Englishman isn't fooling at all, writes Edward J. Neil, Associated Press Sports Writer.

He has driven 272,463 miles an hour in his monstrous Bluebird along the wave lapped beach at Daytona and he really thinks that is just a start as far as automobile speeds are concerned. Despite its age, nine years, the five-ton-Bluebird has proved to Campbell's satisfaction that it will travel 300 miles an hour, five miles a minute, a mile in 12 seconds flat. He needs only conditions better than the bumpy beach and haze that shrouded his 272,463 miles effort.

The ultimate in speed racing is the four wheel drive car, Campbell says, and when the financing problems building that are solved, along with the mechanical difficulties, a new Bluebird probably will start cracking 300 miles an hour and up, just as the old car made 200 look slow.

He believes there is absolutely no limit to the speed that can be attained under perfect conditions.

The driver of the car, of course, makes all the difference in the world. They say of Campbell that he is the only driver in the line of dare-devils, almost all of whom have been killed, who perfectly combines all the attributes of the perfect racer, tempering vast courage and a heavy foot on the throttle with perfect judgment.

Lee Bible, killed at Daytona in 1929 when the giant White Triplex catapulted into the dunes at 202 miles an hour; Ray Keach, who drove the same car 207 miles an hour and was killed at Altona; Frank Lockhart, who died much like Bible in a Stutz special at Daytona in 1927; and Major Segrave, killed setting a new speed boat record in Scotland, all guessed wrong only once.

With Campbell they represent only five men who have driven 200 miles an hour or faster. Kaye Don never reached that speed before shifting his allegiance to speed boats.

Campbell, it is amazing to discover, has imperfect eyes, a fault that would preclude his ever attempting high speed racing were it not for the fact that he is farsighted, rather than near-sighted. He has to hold a paper or book a yard away to read it without glasses. But the farther ahead he looks, the sharper becomes his vision. That becomes very important when, at 272 miles an hour, and visibility only 250 yards, that distance flashes past in a split second. He has no horizon to point at, only a blaze of white

sand. He peers sideways at the row of flags set along the water, and steers automatically by them. They look like one long streamer of bunting flying the length of the course from a single flagstick.

The situation is further complicated by mirages. The haze, which always hangs over the Daytona course when wind conditions have made the best possible beach, gives the impression, as you drive through at terrific speed, of water flowing across the course.

It takes tremendous courage to head straight into what seems to be a bit of the ocean that has swept in on the course. No matter how good your judgment is, the day may come when what looks like water actually is water. Then the end is written to another daredevil's career.



TOO MUCH MUSSOLINI SPIRIT IN RUGBY.

No Camaraderie Between
The Referees And
The Players.

Johannesburg.

Douglas Morkel, the former Springbok forward, whose magnificent kicking is still remembered the world over, made some pertinent observations on referring in South Africa at the annual meeting of the Witwatersrand Rugby Referees Society.

"What is wrong with our refereeing is that there is no camaraderie between official and player," he said. "The referees come on to the field as unknown as a foreign tribe. They neither know the players nor seem to want to know them."

There was far too much of the Mussolini spirit about the methods and manners of some of the referees, he added. They placed themselves on a pedestal of their own making and adopted a preposterously high-handed manner. He considered it would be far better for rugby football and the spirit in which it was played if the referees were to make themselves better known to the players and attended some of the practices.—Reuter.

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Carter declares that, altogether, cricket is not so good as it was.

It seemed at the moment to have reached a very low ebb.

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Corbett To Defend Welter Title Against McLarnin on May 29

Los Angeles, April 21.

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TENNIS CLUBS I.

CHALLENGE FROM K.C.C.

LAST TITLE WON IN 1915

HUNG, WRIGHT AND GRAY RECRUITED.

Thomas Lay's Comeback.

(By A. E. L.)

The Kowloon Cricket Club, who have not won the premier league tennis title for 18 years, and who have never won either the "B" or "C" Championship, are making a determined assault on the three titles this year.

They have some very promising talent, and provided the selectors can pair off the players satisfactorily, there is every reason to believe that the K.C.C. will stage a revival this season. With this in view the selectors are holding a two-day American Tournament on May 20 and 21 in order to secure some idea of the comparative strengths of the teams.

Among the outstanding newcomers to the K.C.C. League teams are W. C. Hung, who has severed his connection with the Chinese Recreation Club, and Thomas Lay, who is staging a comeback after a season out of the game.

Other promising newcomers are S. A. Gray, from the Y.M.C.A. team, P. H. T. Macaulay, a newcomer from Home, C. A. Wright, from the H.K.C.C. team, and C. L. Stapleton, who has not taken part in league tennis for many years.

F. Grose is making a welcome re-appearance after a slack season last summer, and I understand that V. Friman, who has played good-class tennis in America, and who incidentally held the world's record for the Hop Step and Jump for eleven years, is a very promising acquisition to the K.C.C. strength.

Last year the K.C.C. "A" was comprised of the Finch brothers, W. Hyde and A. E. P. Guest, Frank Read and G. C. Burnett, with Pat Madar participating in the earlier part of the season. This year, owing to the absence of both Read and Madar the third string will be a new combination.

First Team Contenders.

For this vacancy there are several useful pairs in the running. W. C. Hung, who beat Teddy Fincher in the Handicap event in the present tournament, in partnership with F. Grose, look the most likely contenders, though C. A. Wright and S. A. Gray, and Thomas Lay and R. E. Hamby are also strong challengers. Hung and Grose were eliminated in the doubles tourney at the K.C.C. by Hamby and A. E. Collins, but as it was a handicap event not much notice can be taken of this defeat.

The "A" team will probably be comprised of E. C. Fincher and E. F. Fincher; W. Hyde and A. E. P. Guest; W. C. Hung and F. Grose.

The talent among the junior players is surprisingly good. The K.C.C. will find it a difficult problem to decide whom to choose out of the following for representation of the "B" team:—R. E. Hamby, Thomas Lay, Gray, Wright, Stapleton, Burnett, Macaulay, W. Wirth, a left-handed player of considerable promise; D. S. Green, Fincher, and T. Ramsay, the Interport cricketer who has just arrived back from America.

The "C" team will also be much stronger than last year when it concluded the season in a very disappointing position. Among the leading players in this class are N. A. E. Mackay, G. A. White, A. E. Collins, H. O. Huber, J. J. Ferguson, recruited from the Y.M.C.A., L. Jack, J. S. Smith, H. S. V. Capell and M. E. Polit.

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18 SOCCER CLUBS IN LEAGUES

16 Weakest Teams To Forfeit Status.

ARSENAL MANAGER'S SUGGESTION

London, April 4.

"I would like to see each section of the League reduced to 18 clubs. That would mean that the 16 weakest would have to drop out and forfeit their status, stated Mr. Herbert Chapman, manager of the Arsenal, in the *Sunday Express*.

In the circumstances the idea may not be a popular one, and if it were put forward it would be bound to meet with serious opposition; but it is almost certain that it would be for the good of the game. It would get rid of the mid-week match, which, when it comes in the closing weeks of the season, is often a nightmare. These extra games which are pushed in because there are not the necessary number of Saturdays to accommodate them, require extra staff, and the idea that they provide additions to revenue is not as sound as it may appear.

The mid-week match depreciates the Saturday one and the followers of football cannot afford to pay for two games a week."



W. TILDEN, former world champion, is pessimistic regarding America's chances of wresting the Davis Cup from France.

ment, they should easily secure a place in the "C" Division.

Lay May Be Available.

Arthur Lay, the K.C.C. opening batsman and No. 1 ranking player in Shameen, may also assist the K.C.C., though it is doubtful, owing to the matches being played in mid-week.

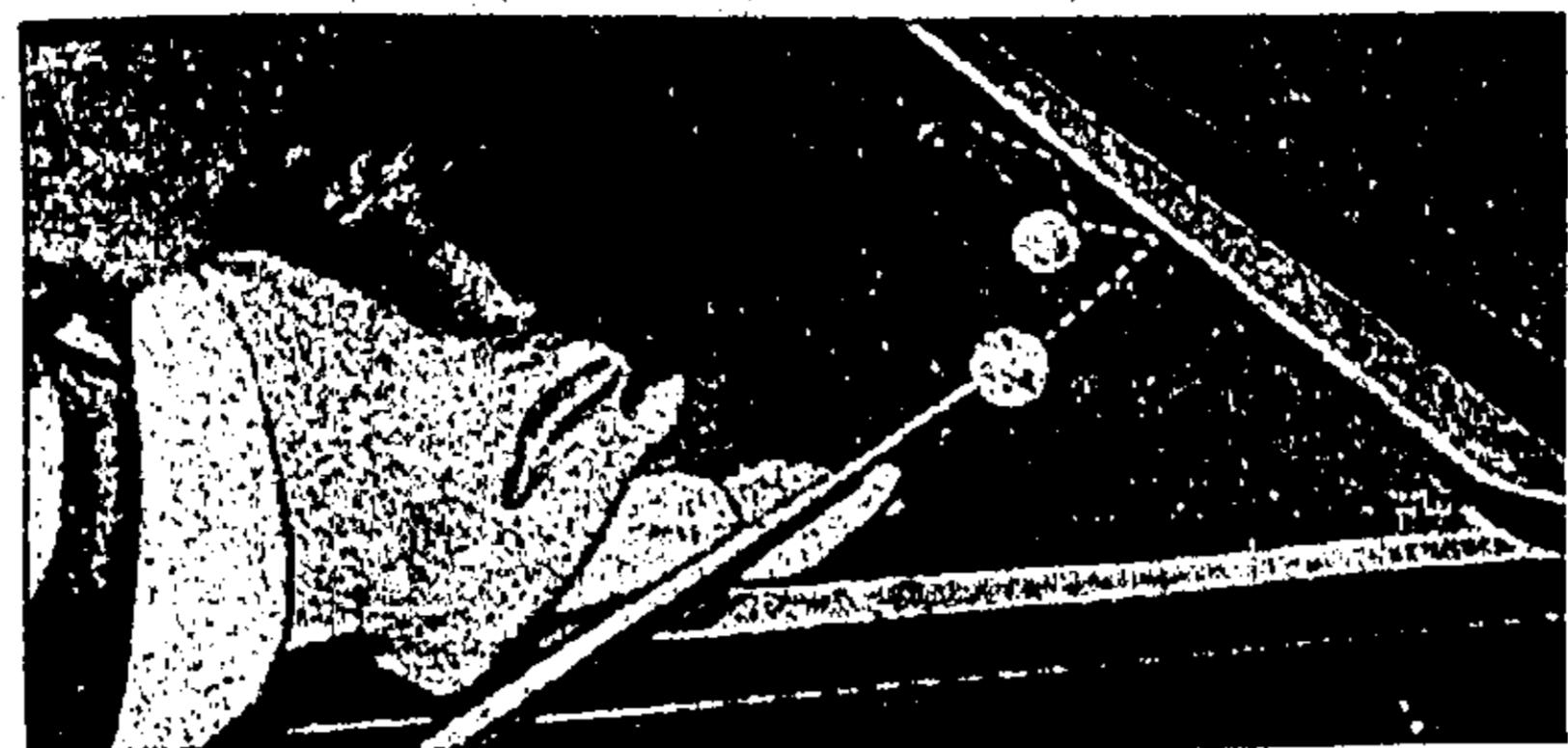
F. Kengelbacker, a potential "B" player on leave, and will not be available, and "Sammy" Green, former Colony champion, has signed his intention of not playing again in the League.

With all their talent I am more than surprised to see the K.C.C. allow the Chinese Recreation Club and the South China Athletic Association to enter two teams in the premier league without following suit. It would have meant six other players gaining valuable experience which would have stood them in good stead next season...

The Mixed Doubles team in for the Dunlop Shield will be strengthened by the return of Mrs. McCaw, who last year played for the Indian Recreation Club. Mrs. McCaw will probably partner Ernie Fincher, while Teddy Fincher will again play with Miss O'Dalziel, and Guest with Miss M. Griffiths.

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A PINK-BLACK SNOOKER



By JOE DAVIS.

(Billiards and Snooker Champion.)

My photo demonstrates a cute little snooker shot. Pink and black are the only ball left. Obviously, pink cannot be pocketed. Safety is the only thing to play for, and at the 22-ball game snookering your opponent, like the double-bauk at billiards, is ideal safety.

Pink lies a little more than the width of a ball from the top cushion opposite the billiard spot. Black is the same distance from the cushion and about eighteen inches from pink. The angle of the cue-ball to the others is clear in my photo. How can you play for the snooker you want?

By far the best way is to strike the cushion behind pink as indicated by dotted line in my photo. Put a little left side on your ball, and gauge the contact with pink to make your ball "take" the top cushion so that it just misses black and runs on far enough to leave a "dead snooker" which cannot be treated as "merely technical."

Well played, the above shot might easily win a game. But do not depend on it doing so without preliminary practice. If you take the trouble to put the balls up as in photo and spend ten minutes on the shot, you will "know it" as well as I do, and I hope you will take my hint.

This is Not Easy

The billiard shot in my diagram is not an easy one. Cue-ball is in hand and red and white are both "tight up." Your choice is between running through red into the left-top-pocket, an awkward shot calling for the use of powerful left side, or a kiss cannon of the type indicated in diagram. No side is required for the cannon.

If you are careful not to hit red too full or too hard, you will score the cannon more often than the run-through, and there is a much better chance of a good leave.

H. C. (Ellensmore Port) was referring in a league snooker match. A player, snookered on green, hit green off two cushions, and left his opponent snookered on black. This is not a foul shot, the opponent was fairly snookered, and by striking black for a pot, he got seven points.

E. D. (Sheringham) refers again to the same question of what constitutes a "re-enter" snooker. Suppose the last red is on the centre spot and you are "on" it after a foul. Your ball

straight behind red, offering a direct pot into the middle pocket. But a coloured ball, which may be on either side of red, prevents you from hitting that red as fine as can be on either side. You can then claim a "free-ball." The fact that you can pot red with ease does not matter.

N. E. Club (Dublin).—After potting a red, if a player misses the colour he is "on" and strikes a red instead he forfeits the value of the colour he was "on." The "jump" shot is fair at snooker. It is wrong to interpret the rule so that a miss when opening a game of snooker is disregarded. The minimum penalty is "four away."

H. B. (Chelmsford).—It is the duty of a billiards referee to award a foul whether it is claimed or not.

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Novelty Race.—C. Aris, A. Mitchell, D. Sutherland, A. W. Torville, W. Campbell, L. E. Morgan and W. B. Wishaw.

Detailed scores.

Sig. Convey and Sig. Cord (R.C.S.)

beat Cpl. Fellows and L/Cpl. Heath 6-3.

beat Pte. Matthews and L/Cpl. Colclough 6-2.

lost to Lt. R. B. Williams and Pte. Potter 2-6.

Sgt. Lomax and Sgt. Bryce (R.C.S.)

beat Cpl. Fellows and Heath 6-2.

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L/Cpl. Rafferty and Sig. Whitehead (R.C.S.)

lost to Fellows and Heath 3-6.

beat Matthews and Colclough 6-1.

lost to Williams and Potter 5-7.

12TH BATTERY LOSE HEAVILY.

Flowerden and Laine Only Pair to Win.

"D" Coy. Lincolns defeated the 24th Battery, R.A., by 5 sets to 4 at Stonewallers, yesterday afternoon, in the Hong Kong Area Tennis League.

The following were the scores:

Major Moseley and Lieut. Walker (R.E.)

beat Q.M.S. Oldfield and Sgt. Wilson 6-4.

beat Q.M.S. Warman and Sgt. Leslie 11-9.

beat S/Sgt. Holt and S/Sgt. Ascott 6-0.

Cpl. Ford and Spr. Whitefield (R.E.)

lost to Oldfield and Wilson 1-6.

beat Warman and Leslie 6-4.

lost to Holt and Ascott 8-6.

Spr. Mullins and Spr. Sloan (R.E.)

lost to Oldfield and Wilson 1-6.

beat Warman and Leslie 9-7.

beat Holt and Ascott 7-5.

LINCOLNS TEAM WIN OVER BATTERY.

Garthwaite and Shields Win Two Sets.

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The following were the scores:

Lieut. S. R. Wilson and Lieut.

S. L. H. Douglas (Lincolns)

lost to Lieut. Garthwaite and Lieut. Shields 2-0.

beat Sgt. Smith and L/Sgt. Jones 6-2.

lost to M/Gnr. Wardle and Q.M.S. Oliver 3-6.

Cpl. Berryman and L/Cpl. Ridgway (Lincolns)

lost to Cooper and Stocker 1-6.

lost to Fowler and Ronan 2-6.

lost to Lewis and Underwood 8-6.

beat Smith and Jones 6-1.

beat Wardle and Oliver 6-2.

Cpl. Clarke and Pte. Harper (Lincolns)

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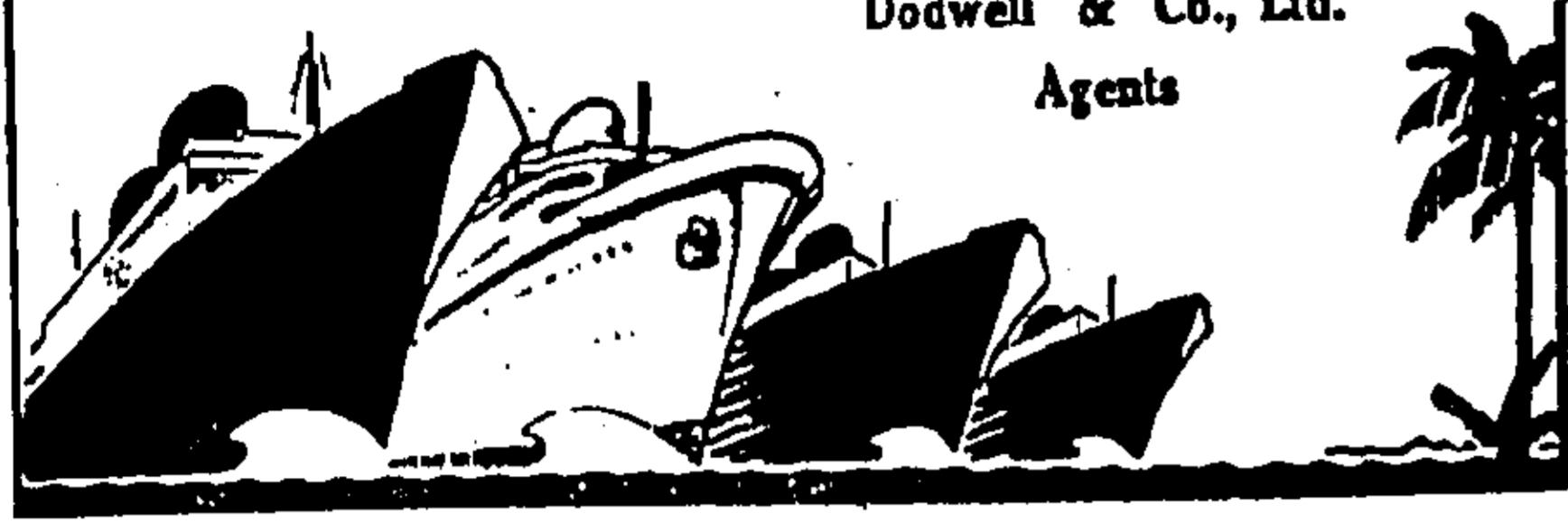
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PEARLS AND SWINE

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"And so far as the law went, he was right. Sam remembered the words, 'No member of the crew shall trade privately, or perform any commercial transactions on his own behalf.' Or something like that. In black and white it was, and he'd signed it. Well, sir, there wasn't a madder man from London to Valparaiso by way of the Horn. There was not. And the things he called the skipper—why, they'd have made a saloon keeper blush. But there it was, the other had got the law on his side, and knew it. And if he'd knocked the skipper down, mind you, that would have been mutiny and two or three years in jug me.

"When Sam left the Hornet, which he did at Aitutaki, he swore he'd get even with Captain Birch, if it took him all the years of his life to do it. Yes, sir, he made a solemn oath about it and wrote it down in a pocket book and all so he shouldn't forget it."

The seafaring man paused and started to refill his pipe.

"And what happened then?" asked the stout man with repressed eagerness.

"There you go again," grumbled the seafaring man. "Always in a hurry, always wanting to make a pace. I get a gummy backache like a chink, he did hanker after a drop of good whisky. And small blame to him when you come to think of the heat and the work and the smell of them oysters. Anyway,

he accepted the invitation, and it wasn't very long before he was drinking the skipper's health and his own and the Kanakas' and everybody else's he could think of.

Well, after a while, when it seemed to Captain Birch as if Sam was

safely three sheets in the wind, he started talking about the pearls.

And Sam allowed that he'd got a tidy few, and reckoned to clear out of the island in another couple of weeks.

"I'd like to have a look at them pearls," says the skipper, pouring Sam out another drink.

"I dare say you would," answers Captain Birch, ed Sam, winking and taking the drink.

Birch knew him, which was why

they didn't speak to each other.

reckon. They mostly are round

For the Jew allowed that he'd once

lent the skipper money that he'd

never paid back, and the skipper

never seen a finer lot of pearls in

my life, and I've seen a few."

"I wouldn't expect you to say otherwise, Mr. Donovan. All the same, I don't believe you."

"Poor quality," shouts Sam. "I never paid back, and the skipper

never seen a finer lot of pearls in

my life, and I've seen a few."

"I wouldn't expect you to say otherwise, Mr. Donovan. All the

same, I don't believe you."

"Oh, you don't, don't you?" says Sam. "Well, you shall see for

yourself, and he fetches out a

bag, undoes the string and holds

it out to the skipper. "How's

that?" says he.

"Not bad," says the skipper,

reaching out and taking the bag.

"It's mighty good of you to say

so," Sam tells him, "and now I'll

trouble you to hand them back."

Captain Birch, he ties up the bag again very carefully and then looks at Sam.

"I'll give you a thousand dollars for that bag," says he.

"You'll what!" roars Sam.

"Why, you couldn't buy that

amount of pearls for five thousand dollars and more."

"Call it fifteen hundred—cash

right here."

"Hand over that bag," says Sam.

"I'll say two thousand. Is it a deal?"

"It is not. Hand them over."

"It's a lot of money for poached pearls," says the skipper.

"What do you mean?" asks Sam.

"You know what I mean, Mr. Donovan. The authorities ain't particularly well disposed toward poachers just now. And, between you and me, there are healthier places to lie in than a French gaol."

"Captain Birch," says Sam,

"I've met a few rogues in my time,

but you've got every one of them beat. Do you mean to say you're going to inform the authorities?"

"Not if you sell me the pearls.

If you don't—well, I reckon it

would be my duty to inform."

"Well, the snapshot of it was that

Sam agreed he'd rather part with

the bag than spend a year or two

in the gaol at Tahiti. And that

very same day Captain Birch set

sail. And as soon as he'd gone

northwest of Tahiti and lets go

his hook. And from all I've heard

tell he hadn't no doubts but what

he'd fetched up at the right spot

for the stink of the decaying

oysters could be smelt miles to

leeward of that island.

The seafaring man stopped.

There was silence for some

moments, and then, the stout man

started to laugh.

"So he goes astore, does Captain Birch, and there he finds Sam and a couple of Kanakas working away

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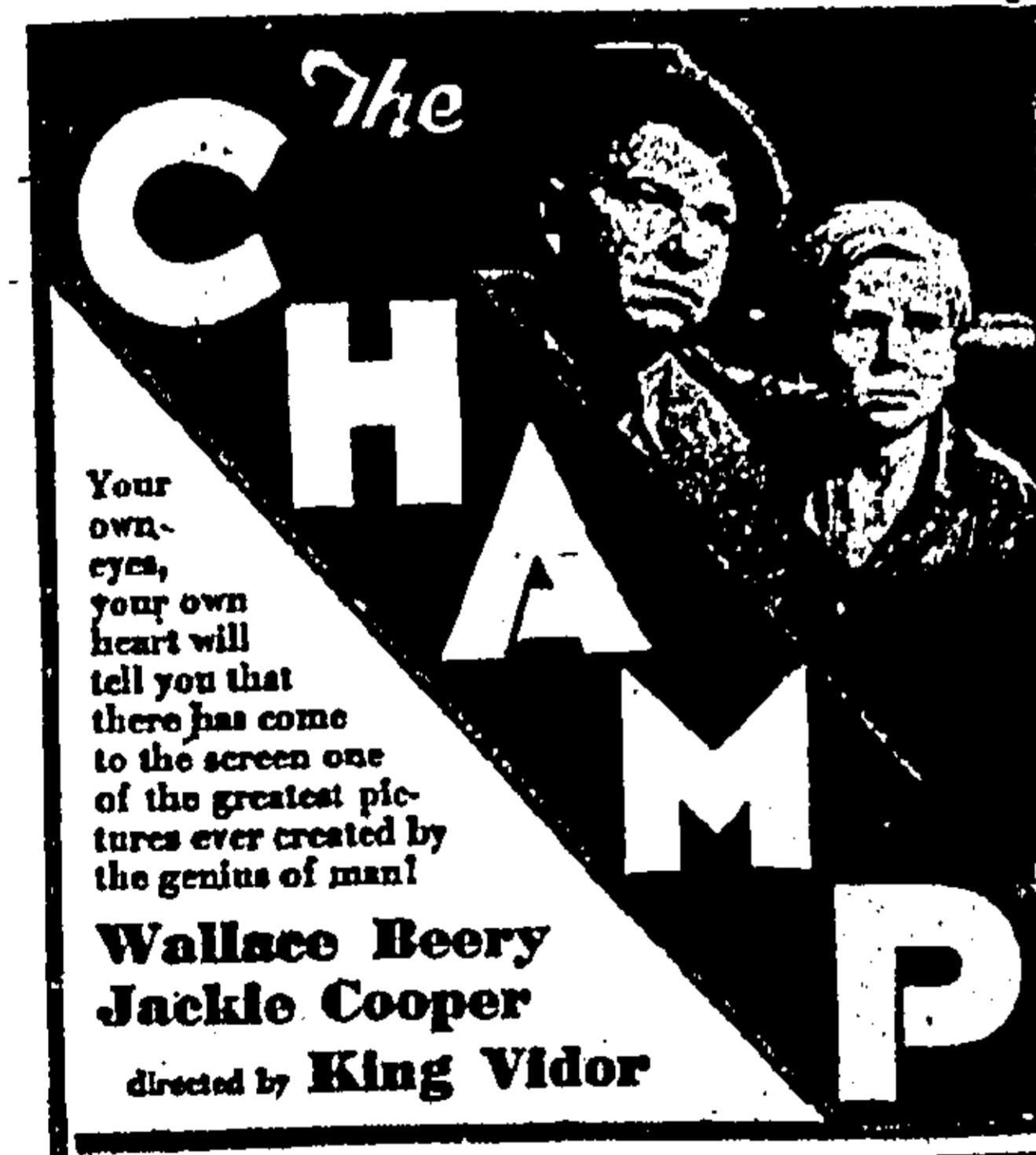
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DOLLAR STEADY AS SILVER RISES.

Pound Declines

Following its decline of $\frac{1}{8}$ yesterday, the local dollar remained steady this morning at $1/4\%$.

Silver increased yesterday, both spot and forward prices closing at $19\frac{1}{2}\%$ as against $19\frac{1}{2}$ and $19\frac{3}{4}$ respectively on Saturday.

The pound declined in relation to the American dollar, the London or New York cross rate closing yesterday at £-G\$3.97 as against £-G\$4.04 $\frac{1}{2}$ on Saturday. The New York or London rate yesterday closed at £-G\$3.95 $\frac{1}{4}$ as against £-G\$3.97 $\frac{1}{4}$ on Saturday.

NEW CHIEF OF AIR STAFF

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From 1922 to 1923 he commanded the Royal Air Force in the Middle East, and subsequently in India and Iraq. In 1929 he was recalled from foreign service to take the appointment of Air Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Air Defences of Great Britain.

The name "Ying Ts'ai" is

CHINESE PRINCESS NAMED IN LONDON.

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London.

A Chinese baby princess, five weeks old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Cheng, has been named in London. Her name, chosen by the ex-Emperor of China and the Prime Minister of Manchukuo, is "Ying Ts'ai."

Mrs. Cheng is the sister of the ex-Emperor of China and is the first Chinese Princess to visit England. She is the daughter of the famous Prince Chun who was sent to Berlin 30 years ago to "kow-tow" to the Kaiser, but refused.

Mr. Cheng is the grandson of Mr. Cheng Hsiao-hsa, the Prime Minister of Manchukuo.

The naming of the baby, who was born in London, took place at the Kew home of Sir Reginald Johnston, with whom Mr. and Mrs. Cheng are visiting. Sir Reginald, Professor of Chinese

Studies in London, was for many years in China where he was the tutor to the ex-Emperor in Peking.

The name "Ying Ts'ai" is

SIAM'S "WAR" ON COMMUNISTS.

Long Imprisonment For Propagandists.

Bangkok.

Drastic steps are now being taken by the Siamese Government to deal with Communist agitators as the result of a recent attempt to flood the country with their literature. Fifteen years imprisonment will be the sentence on any person convicted of propaganda, but if he pleads guilty it is reduced to ten.

Until recently when the communists became active they were merely arrested and deported.—Reuter.

("flowerlike and talented") arrived by letter from Manchukuo. As is the custom when a baby princess is found a name in China, it was selected by the heads of the families concerned—the ex-Emperor (head of the mother's family) and the Prime Minister of Manchukuo (head of the father's family).

But whatever name the baby is known by in official circles, she is still "Helen" to her English nurse. Up to the present the baby has been known as "Helen" in the family, a name she will probably keep as long as she remains in England.—Reuter.

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